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THE Sultan of Turkey has lost since the year 1822, Greece, Cyprus, Servia, Roumania, Kars, Ardahan, North Africa, Bulgaria, Montenegro, Batoum, and Kars. We hope that he will continue to lose.

IN less than five months a host of Christian Endeavorers will gather at the Nation's Capital on the occasion of the Fifteenth International Convention. July 8-13 are the dates, and as the time draws near, the preparations which Washington Endeavorers have been for months earnestly engaged in making, are assuming very definite shape. It is confidently expected that the attendance will be greater than at any previous convention and estimates of 60,000 and even more have been advanced. The city of Washington is admirably adapted to the purpose of such a convention. Places of meeting, entertainment, Hotel accommodations, music, excursions and Church Headquarters are being arranged for. It is to be hoped that the influence of this mighty movement among the young people will be felt in the city of the Nation's Capital.

Personal Mention.

Brother Grisso preached at Ankneytown.

Brother Paxton reports one accession at Seward, Kan.

Brother Fitzgerald is doing good work in his charge, in Fayette Co., Pa.

Brother Bashor closed his meeting at Lanark, Ill., with three accessions.

Prof. J. C. Beal, of the University, spent last Saturday at Mansfield on business.

Sister Grossnickle's meeting at Pioneer, Ohio, has resulted so far, in two accessions.

The meeting at Bloomers, Ohio, by Brother Keifer closed with three confessions.

The meeting at North Manchester, Ind., by Brother Rensch closed with twelve accessions.

Brother J. L. Gillin, organized a new church at Garrison, Iowa, with twenty-nine members.

Brother J. C. Mackey writes some very plain words on the subject of "Infant Baptism." Read his article.

At Mt. Zion, Sister Grossnickle organized a Sister's Society with fourteen members. One added to the church.

Brother Summers sends good news to the churches. His congregations are in a continual revival. Five accessions at a new point are reported.

Brother C. F. Yoder, is now at his home, Morrill, Kan., taking a much needed rest, after his very arduous labors

at Warsaw, Ind. His meeting closed with 101 accessions.

In next week's paper brother David Younce and wife, will give their reasons for leaving the German Baptist church and uniting with the Brethren.

Two have been added to the little band at New Paris, Ind., and the church greatly revived. A new school has been organized. Do not forget our literature next quarter.

Brother Fitzgerald finds quite a number of "obsolete" names on the church roll. This sort of "pruning" might have a good effect in some other congregations.

A PASTOR NEEDED.

There are quite a number of the Brethren living at this place, and we know that some of them are rejoicing in the love of God, and are anxious to be doing something for the Master, but we are without a pastor. Although we have a good church house all paid for, we have had no meetings for over two years, yet we are not dead, spiritually. We meet with the brethren of the Methodist, Christian, and other churches, for worship and assist them all we can, and enjoy the services too, but still we do not feel at home. "There is no place like home." We can always feel more at ease in our own home. We know there are true Christians in the above named churches, but we can not always agree with them in their interpretation of the Word. But, however, Christians do not quarrel about those differences. The purpose of this letter is to invite some minister to locate here and become pastor of our church. We would prefer a young man, but most of all, we prefer a man who is filled with the Holy Spirit and fire, be he young or old. And we feel confident that he will receive the hearty co-operation of the brethren and sisters. And that God will bless his efforts and strengthen and build up the church. We would also invite correspondence with lay members of the church, who wish to change their location. We will gladly answer all communications concerning this country.

Yours, trusting in Jesus,

J. L. HAMILTON.

Galesburg, Kans.

LUTHER'S Bible, which he used in his study, is in possession of a Berlin museum. Its margins are covered with notes in Luther's handwriting. It was printed at Bale in 1509, and is excellently preserved.